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Appl. No. : 09/623,728 )  
Filed : January 22, 2001 )  
For : Compounds, Compositions and )  
Methods for the Endocytic )  
Presentation of Immunosuppressive )  
Factors )  
Examiner : P. Nolan )

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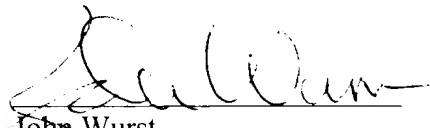
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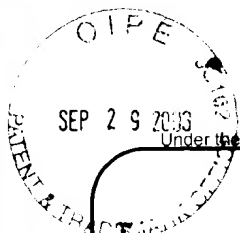
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Dated: Sept 24, 2005

Respectfully submitted,



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# Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

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Application Number	09/623,728
Filing Date	Jan 22, 2001
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Art Unit	1644
Examiner Name	Nolan
Attorney Docket Number	40,283

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. **Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114** Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).

a. ☐ Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.

i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Rely Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_

ii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. ☒ Enclosed

i. ☒ Amendment/Reply

iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/ Declaration(s)

iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)

b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Fees

The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

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a. ☐ Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_

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ii. ☒ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)

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b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$ see above enclosed

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